Society and Items of Interest to Women.

BEYOND.

Beyond the mountain range are
valleys bright
With blooming flowers, that tremble in the light,
And flood the air with fragrance
wondrous sweet
From dawn till eve, each passing
hour to greet

Beyond the darkest clouds the
skies are fair
And stars unnumbered whirl in
beauty there
Where crescent moon and mystic
Milky Way
Have their allotted space where
in to stay
Beyond this earth life, with its
hopes and fears,
Its laughter that too oft conceals
our tears,
Is Heaven, where angels tune
their harps of old
And pass with silent feet o'er
streets of gold,
Where friends we miss the faithful and the fond
Now wait to welcome us in the
beyond

—Ruth Raymond

Mr and Mrs Calvin [illegible] are visiting relatives in Opelika the week

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Miss [illegible] Farmer and [illegible] Evelyn Farmer are visiting relatives in Columbus Ga

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Mr and Mrs [illegible] have moved into their new home on West Main street

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Mrs H [illegible] will [illegible] Embroidery Club tomorrow afternoon

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Mrs [illegible] the [illegible] Club Thursday evening at [illegible] o'clock

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The Spelling Match [illegible] the men and women of Dothan will take place Thursday [illegible] This interesting [illegible] [illegible] school spelling for the benefit of the city schools

SHALL MEXICO EXPAND?

The Mexican Herald, published in the City of Mexico, is very generally believed to reflect the public sentiment of its country The Herald, in a recent edition declared in favor of the annexation by Me[illegible] of the Central American republics of Guatemala Honduras Salvador Nicaragua and Costa Rica Why isn't the the idea a very good one? Would there be any room for objection in this country? Our Monroe Doctrine says that there shall be no further acquisitions of territory on this continent by European or non American powers but it does n t say that states of the American continent shall not expand and extend their borders

Central America is composed of a buch of little states that are always quarreling and fighting among themselves In natural resources they are [illegible] rich, but their wealth is undeveloped by reason of the fact that there is perpetual unrest within their borders So called revolutions, which a squad of Savannah policemen could quell with their night sticks are as frequent as changes of the moon But thedisturbances are sufficient to discourage investments of capital, since no investor in Central America knows when he goes to bed at night what the character of the government will be the next morning

Mexico has got tired of the wrangling and firearms' practices of her next door neighbor She is coming tothink that if they won't behave of their own accord it is her dut[illegible] make them behave It is like having a crowd of brawlers raising a [illegible] on one's sidewalk Uncle Sam has some experience in the same sort of thing when Spain and Cuba were hammering at each other and making the nights and days hideous with their noise and he put a st p to it in short order Mexico, however cannot stop the racket in Central America as Uncle Sam did in Cuba, since there is no foreign oppressor there to be put out and disciplined The only thing that can be done apparently is for Mexico to take the little fellows into the family—to [illegible] them and then make them be good —Savannah News.

"Money is not at the bottom of [illegible] thing" sadly remarked the college man as he plunged his hands deep odwn into his pockets [illegible] Herald

"Did you ever feel that the world was againstyou?"
"Sure I felt it this morning when I slipt on the sidewalk."—Pittsburg Observer

GARDEN TOOLS

The season is at hand when the father of the family will [illegible] two cabbages grow where none grew before [illegible] deal of [illegible] the evenings and burning of rubbish, and planning of agricultural triumphs In many cases the father of the family will [illegible] around and boss the job while the women and children do the work and when he goes down town next day he will tell his friends how fatigued he is after the arduous labors in the [illegible] yard

But the F[illegible] family is all right, and people confided to [illegible] house [illegible] and if he doesn't get down on his knees and pull old weeds like the [illegible] family, it should be [illegible] that he [illegible] possibility and [illegible] man [illegible] around so much [illegible] that his backbone buckles down [illegible] seed and prepare the [illegible] [illegible] which call for intense [illegible]

In this year of [illegible] 1909 people will be on the work [illegible] just as their forebears [illegible] [illegible] Has it ever occurred to anybody that the tools who with gardening is now [illegible] similar to the tool used a couple of hundred years ago [illegible] the same old [illegible] that require as much strength [illegible] [illegible] may be a trifle [illegible] than the handle [illegible] [illegible] and the [illegible] as much [illegible] [illegible]

The rake is the [illegible] nation and [illegible] either [illegible] strong man to [illegible] order to get results [illegible] blister your hands and [illegible] your shoulder blades

It seems queer that [illegible] invented some sort of [illegible] that will do the work of spade, hoe and rake and do it [illegible] quickly A man should be [illegible] to sit on his porch in the [illegible] while the whip poor will [illegible] calling to the tadpoles and [illegible] gardening by working [illegible] with his off foot while [illegible] the evening paper [illegible] sense in the old fashioned [illegible] that requires so much toil [illegible] sweat It is impossible to [illegible] enough garden sass on a quarter section of land to pay a man for an hour's work with a rusty spade in [illegible] garden

[illegible] have made things [illegible] the farmers, who ride [illegible] cultivat[illegible] [illegible] and the harvest [illegible] the threshing and [illegible] operations [illegible] to reap and [illegible]

[illegible] MARSHALS TRIED ON [illegible] DER CHARGE

[illegible]

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[illegible]

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[illegible]

Is that so

"Yes [illegible] with her mother [illegible] —Detroit Free Press

SECRET ORDERS

DOTHAN CHAPTER No 113
R A M

Meets [illegible]

P M Carlisle H P

DOTHAN LODGE No 175
I O O F

Meets every Monday night
L O Jones N G
W S Hart [illegible]

DOTHAN LODGE No 1133,
B P O E

Meets every Wednesday night at old City Hall
Geo Colton E R
J N Blaum, Scty

DOTHAN COMMANDERY No
K T

Meets on the second and fourth Friday nights of each month
D C Carmichael E C
W T Hall, Scty

PYTHAGORAS LODGE No 659
A F & A M

Meets on the [illegible] fourth Tuesday nights of each month
A E Turner W M
J M Strickland Scty

DOTHAN LODGE No 166,
A F & A M

Meets every [illegible] Saturday at 2 p m and on Thursday night before the fourth Saturday
D M Hatcher W M
W M Rhodes [illegible]

DOTHAN CHAPTER No 76,
Eastern Star.

Meets every first Thursday afternoon in each month at 3 p m
Mrs [illegible] W M
Mrs Helen Reatio, Secy

DOTHAN [illegible] No [illegible]
W O W

Meets every second and fourth [illegible] night
[illegible]
H M King Scty

[illegible]

Meets [illegible] each month at 3 p m
Helen Reatio Guardian

BENEVOLENT LODGE No 122
K of P

Meets first and third Thursday nigths
H H Brown C C
G. C. Batchelor, K R S

HUMOROUS MISCELLANY.

CURIOUS

"[illegible]" said Uncle Eben. [illegible] folks will hardly no[illegible] [illegible] of de country's [illegible] dey'll read [illegible] what an ex cham[illegible] has to say!"—[illegible] Star

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